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NOTICE.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS RISES at % nett per Annum, and other Insurances at Proportionate Rates.
Shareholders are reminded that the Direc-

tors have the power of distributing a certain proportion of the ascertained profits annually among such Shareholders as have contributed business to the Company. AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon,

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PROM August 1st, 1881, Dr. H. YARD-LEY EASTLAKE, M.A.D.D.S., will take Charge of the DENTAL PRACTICE of Dr. WM. C. EASTLACKE, in Hongkong Offices or Chambers. and will Open his New DENTAL ROOMS, Lower Floor of the HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS, Wyndham Street. Latest Scientific Appli-

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, June 18, 1881.

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CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERN-MENT SILVER LOAN, 1881.

AUTHORISED BY IMPERIAL DECREE DATED THE 2ND MAY, 1881.

Kansuh Taels - 4,000,000. | Shanghai Taels - 4,884,000. In Bonds of Taels 500 each of Shanghai

Principal and Interest payable in Shanghai The Bonds are redeemable at Par within Six years (1887), by Eight Half-yearly Instalments, the first of which will be payable on the 30th November, 1883. The Bonds will bear Interest at the Rate of Eight per cent. per annum Shanghai-Taels, payable Half-yearly according to the Chinese Calendar as per annexed Schedule, at the Offices of the Hong-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-

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drawn will ceaso. Bonds to bearer will be issued on the 1st August, 1881, against allotment letter, and on payment of the Balance Due on same.

-SCHEDULE. TABLE OF DRAWINGS AND PAYMENTS OF INTEREST.

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Hongkong, July 19, 1881. jy25	1886 May 4 548	8,000.00 64,138.5 8,000.00 42,518.7

21,379.50 1887 April 548,000.00

With Reference to the Foregoing. SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION when the Tenders will be opened afterwards No Tender will be enter-

Par has been fixed as the minimum, at which Tenders will be accopted.

payments liable to forfeiture. of the amount applied for is allotted. the balance of the deposit will be ap-

instalment. All Tenders to bear upon the Cover Loan, of 1881." This Prospectus and Form of Tender can

> HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Agents Isming the Loan, THOMAS JACKSON

Chief Manager. Hongkong, July 6, 1881.

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Oilman's Stores and Coal of all kinds. all kinds of Ballast and fresh Pro-visions at moderate charges. F 59. Wing Hing Street. Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

Intimations.

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REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF GAS.

A. NEWTON. Hongkong, June 21, 1881.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAC STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Thirtieth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be Held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 52, Queen's Road, on THURSDAY, the 28th July instant, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, de claring a Dividend and electing Directors

By Order of the Board of Directors. .P. A. DA COSTA,

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 28th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

Secretary. Hongkong, July 8, 1881, THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be Held at the Honekone Hotel, on FRIDAY, the 29th Instant, at 4 o'Clock p.m. PORATION at Current Rates of Exchange

> By Order of the Directors. LOUIS HAUSCHILD. Secretary. Hongkong, July 8, 1881.

PANY, LIMITED.

THE Fifteenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be Held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant, at 2.30 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Account to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 16th to 30th Inst.

Hongkong, July 8, 1881.

NOTICE. 11HE Undersigned, who has for many years shown excellent work in POR-TRAITURE in Yeu Qua & Co.'s, has now ESTABLISHED & New STUDIO at No. 3 POTTINGER STREET, opposite Messrs GIBB, LEVINGSTON & Co.'s. .

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Intimations.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS. TENDERS are Required for the EREC-

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS.

WANCHAL VALLEY, Hongkong. of these Works must leave their Names at the ROYAL ENGINEER OFFICE on or before the 1sr August, 1881, at 2 p.m. Bills of Quantities and Specifications will be supplied to each person on application to Inst., requesting it to be landed here. the GOVERNMENT SURVEYOR on payment of

Five dollars.

The Bills of Quantities and Specifications will be printed in English only. No Tender will be received unless the subject to rent and landing charges. person tendering produces a receipt to the effect that he has deposited in Her Majesty's TREASURY, Commissariat Buildings, the sum of \$100 as a pledge of the bond fides of his offer, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown if such person refuses to carry out his Tender, should the Tender be ac-

· The Secretary of State does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender. A. MEYER, A.C.G., District Commissary-General

Commissariat Office. Hongkong, July 18, 1881.

HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

In the Matter of JOHN MARTIN HAN-LON, a Bankrupt. NT-OTICE is hereby given, that a MEET-ING of CREDITORS of the above Estate will be Held on TUESDAY, the 26th July, 1881, at 11 a.m., at the REOIS-

TRAR'S OFFICE, Supreme Court, for the purpose of submitting a Statement of the Estate of the Bankrupt and of the Receipts and Payments, and for declaring a Dividend. Mr PATRICK ROSE SMITH, Acting Deputy Registrar, is the Officer appointed by the Court sitting in Bankruptcy to preside at such Meeting. C. F. A. SANGSTER,

Hongkong, July 16, 1881. In the Matter of the Estate of RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO ROZARIO, late of

Official Assignee.

Hongkong, Deseased. NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or minst the Estate of RAPHABL ARUANJO DO RALARIO, who died at Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, on the 26th day of March, 1881, and whose Will and Codicil were duly proved in the Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 9th day of June, 1881, by VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, Executors named in the said Will. both of Victoria, aforesaid, are hereby required to send in writing the Particulars of their CLAIMS or DEMANDS to the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MAR-CIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, at the address aforesaid, or to Messis BRERETON and Wor-TON, at their Office, 29; Queen's Road, Victuria, Hongkong, on or before the 13th day jy30 of August, 1881. And Notice is hereby also given that, at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said VALENTINE AN-BAPTISTA will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO ROzario amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the Claims of which the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, or the said Messrs Brereron and Worron, shall then jy30 have had notice; and that the said VALEN-TIME ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MARCIANO Antonio Baptista will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any Person of whose Claim the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MAR-CIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA had not had notice at the time of the distribution.

Dated this 13th day of June, 188i. BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, de.

29, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

DENTAL NOTICE.

R. ROGERS will be absent at SHANG-

HAI until July 1st, when he will Hongkong, May 9, 1881.

Notices to Consignees.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. COMPANY.

NOTICE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by Steamship BELGIC are hereby notified that

their Goods are being landed and stored at

their risk in the Company's Godowns, at Wanchai, from whence delivery may be WATSON, CLEAVE & Co., Shang- obtained, on countersignature of Bills of Goods remaining unclaimed after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

> Hongkong, June 13, 1881. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

C. H. HASWELL, JR.,

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

YONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-agnature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Baghalien. No Mark, Nos. 91/120 = 30 drums White the above Port Lead, Order, from London. B. No. 10, 1 caso Effects, from Marseilles. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, July 9, 1881.

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Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP "DJEMNAH.".

J Euphrate, from London, in connec tion with the above Steamer, are hereby TION of a SANITARIUM at the informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Parties desiring to Tender for the Erection Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Con-

signees, before 2 p.in. To-DAY, the 15th Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned Goods remaining unclaimed after FRI-DAY, the 22nd Instant, at Noon, will be

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, July 15, 1881.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. BRITISH BARK "STAR OF CHINA, FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned delivery of their Goods.

Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Steamers. DIRECT COMMUNICATION BETWEEN HONGKONG AND AUSTRALIA.

(DIRECT). (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for ADELAIDE and all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.)

The Steamship Captain Johnson, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE Calling at SOURABAYA, Taking Cargo and Passengers at through

rates for ADELAIDE and all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.) The Steamship Captain Tuorn, will be desputched as above on

WEDNESDAY, the 20th Inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, July 15, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Trompson, will be despatched at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Instant.

Hongkong, July 18, 1881. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship "Namoa. Capt. WESTORY, will be despatched for the above

Ports on THURSDAY, the 21st Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1881. jy21

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The British Steamer Vortigern." Captain J. Atexander, will load here for the above Ports, and will leave this on the 25th

For Freight or Passage, apply to HING KEE & Co. Hongkong, July 16, 1881.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

(Taking Caryo at through rates for NEW

YORK, HAMBURG and BREMEN.) The Steamship "Glenroy," Capt. J. Wallack, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 4th August. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, July 18, 1881. CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON PLA SUEZ CANAL,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

The Steamship Bothwell Castle,"
Thomson, Commander,
expected here in about a fortnight, will have immediate despatch for For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Agents. Hongkong July 18, 1881.

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FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Captain BRAGO, will be

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Agents:

Hongkong, July 18, 1881.

Sailing Vessels. FOR LONDON. The 100 A 1 British Ship. " Leonidas." PREHN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, July 18, 1881. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Bark " Tiber. RENNIE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, July 14, 1881.

FOR LONDON:

have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to.

The A 1 British Ship PREHN, Moster, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, July 11, 1881. FOR NEW YORK.

MELCHERS & Co.,

Snow, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

The American Bark

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1881. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British Barque Java Packet,"

HANSEN, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will

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FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Barque J. T. WESENBERG, Master, will load here for the above Ports,

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, June 18, 1881.

FOR NEW YORK. The 5/6 A.1.1. American Bark G. W. Howes, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1. 1. American Ship ATHEBION, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship P. G. Carvill," McFee, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1881. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Ship

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1881. FOR LONDON.

The 3/3 L.1.1. Danish Bark

Hongkong, June 13, 1881. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark Jonothan Chase,

Casrigan, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, April 10, 1881.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

Penang, and Manila. A. G. STOKES.

NOTICE. OURING my Absence from Hongkong, Mr. ROBERT COOKE will act as By Order of the Board.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 22nd July, 1881, at 2 p.m., at the First Floor of No. 3, Blue Buildings, the Residence of W. McG. SMITH, Esq.,-The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:-CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-BOOM SUITE. CENTRE and SIDE TABLES, MIRRORS, EN-GRAVINGS, and CARD TABLES. TEAKWOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLE and SIDEBOARD, MAHOGANY CHAIRS, WHATNOTS;

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IRON BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, CHEST OF

DRAWERS, TOILET TABLE and GLASS, WASH-

GLASS and PLATED WARES.

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. -As customary J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, July 16, 1881.

THE Undersigned will offer FOR SALE L by Public Auction, on the Premises. MONDAY,

the 25th July, 1881, at 3 p.m. (unless pre-

viously disposed of by private contract),-

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE VALUABLE PROPERTY, SEVEN CHINESE SHOPS, and DWEL-LING HOUSES, erected upon INLAND Lor No. 77, almost opposite the COMMIS-SARIAT BUILDINGS, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST. The Seven Shors will be Sold either separately or together. TERMS OF SALE .- \$2,000, or \$300. House, on account of purchase money

For Sale. TOHN BAZLEY WHITE & BROTHERS' PORTLAND CEMENT. Sole Agents for China,

Hongkong, June 13, 1881. FOR SALE. VALVOLINE CYLINDER OIL.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

ITHIS Oil is a lubricant for the Valves and Oylinders of Steam Engines, and is free from the objections which exist against the use of tallow or vegetable oils. . J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, June 27, 1881.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE,

DWELLING HOUSES, in WYNDHAM STREET, Nos. 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45 & on Sections B & C of INLAND LOT No. 51, belonging to the Portuguese Mission in

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

TITASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use VV of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. -- Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

PRICE, \$1.00.

Hongkong, December 6, 1870.

TO LET. TO. 2, Old BAILEY STREET.

TO LET. 10 OOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS, suitable for The BUNGALOW, No. 2, SHELLEY

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SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, January 21, 1881.

Intimations. PROSPECTUS

Sycee, bearing Interest from the 1st

The Drawings will take place in Hongkong in April and October, commoncing October, 1883, and the Bonds so drawn will be paid off at Par on the respective dates specified in the annexed Schedule at the Offices of the Hono-RONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR FORATION at Current Rates of Exchange

Shanghai Tls. 4,384,000.00 1,413,089.26 Sealed Tenders are invited for the above Loan at the Offices of the HONOKONG AND Hongkong and Shanghai until Noon on MONDAY, the 25th of July, 1881.

the due date will render all previous

"Tender for Chinese Imperial Silver be had on application at the Bank. For the

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

Keep on hand and for Sale, well assorted Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH Shipping supplied at the shortest notice with 1ja82

PANY, LIMITED. TROM the 1st Proximo and until further Notice, the Charge per 1,000 feet will be \$3.50, instead of \$4 as heretofore.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Hongkong, July 8, 1881.

NOTICE.

P. A. DA COSTA,

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 29th

OHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COM NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

both days inclusive. By Order. W. H. RAY,

LUNE HING. Hongkong, June 30, 1881.

TAR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE. Only reliable Remedy for Weak and Shattered Constitutions, Nervous Debility, Depression, Lassitude, Pimples, Impoverished Blood, premature Decline; thoroughdeposit of Ten per cent. upon the ly re-establishes general bodily health. amount Tendered must accompany R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE .each application, such deposit to be Prepared on a new principle whereby return to Hongkong and remain permanmade by cheque on a Bank in Hong- all possible risk is entirely prevented. Avoid

returned in full, and if only a portion are absolutely unreliable and in some cases positively dangerous.

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NOTICE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship

for countersignature, and to take immediate Cargo impeding the discharge of the

Shipping.

Hongkong, July 5, 1881.

have quick despatch. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE For Freight, apply to

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PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are remired to be declared prior to dipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, July 12, 1881.



STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. NIIGATA MARU, Capt. Wynn, due here on or about the 18th July, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 23rd July, at Day-

the Office up to 6 p.m. of 22nd July. No Bill of Lading signed under -\$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Cabin Steerage. То Кова,.....\$ 60 , YOKOHAMA & NAGASAKI,. 75 SHANGHAI VIB YОКОНАМА, ... 120 , Кове,..... 95

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Agent. Hongkong, July 12, 1881. NOTICE.

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, COLOMBO.

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 27th of July, 1881. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left-at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, July 16, 1881.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATUR. DAY, the 30th July, 1881, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the

Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 2 p.m., the 20th July. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m.,

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's ing on board after To-DAY, the 19th Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Instant, will be landed and stored at Con-Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central. RUSSELL & Co., Agents. jy30 Hengkong, July 19, 1881.

Hongkong, July 12, 1881.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL. TO-MORROW, 20th July, 1881

GRAND SUBSCRIPTION ENTERTAINMENT Positively the Last Appearance

AYLOR TROUP Prices of Admission: Reserved Seats, - - - \$2.00. Second Seats, - - -Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform, \$0.50.

Tickets obtainable at Messra Kelly & WALSH's, and at the Door on the Night of Hongkong, July 19, 1881.

insurances.

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY. THE Undersigned AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to accept Risks

on First Class Godowns at 2 per cent. nett promium per annum. NORTON & Co.,

Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

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Hongkong, July 1, 1881. THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-1, ROYAL EXCHANGE

BUILDINGS, LONDON. THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS in Hongkong and China for the above Company are prepared to accept

MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, May 3, 1881.

PRUSSIAN NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, OF STETTIN.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to Grant Insurances against FIRE at Current Rates. MEYER & Co., . Agents.

Hongkong, May 10, 1881. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

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CAPITAL,....£2,000,000. THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at Current Rates. RISKS on First Class Godowns Reduced to 1 % nett premium per annum from this date. GILMAN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship

" Amou. Captain Drewes, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, July 19, 1881. jy20

FOR AMOY. The Steamship "Diamante." Captain Cullen, will be

Port on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 19, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship " Agamemnon.

Capt. Wilding, will be despatched on or about the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, July 19, 1881. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "NIIGATA MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send same day; all Parcel Packages should be in their Bills of Lading for countersigna-marked to address in full; value of same ture, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remainsigness expense and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Yottung for Hasphong.

Meath, for Sydney, &c.

Olympia, for Cheloo.

1926 Roderick Hoy, for Cheloo. H. J. H. TRIPP. Agent, Mitau Bishi Mail B. S. Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

ONE CHEST PERSIAN OPIUM.

Afterwards, at the Godowns of Messrs E. ONE CHEST PERSIAN OPIUM,

(All more or less damaged by sea water), For account of the concerned.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, July 19, 1881.

PANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

YOKOHAMA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the Company's Steamer CITY OF PEKING, from the above Ports, are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

at Consignees' risk and expense, and no RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, July 19, 1881. GERMAN BARK "FLORA," Captain

KLOCK, FROM HAMBURG.

Cargo impeding the discharge of Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. STEMSSEN & Co.,

Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Honghong Harbour:-ANNA, German barque, Captain J. B. Davidsen.-Wieler & Co.

ASTORIA, American ship, Captain M. I Anderson. - Messageries Maritimes. C. F. SARGENT, American ship, Captain D. H. Atherton. - Captain.

INVINCIBLE, American ship, Captain Jas. F. Skewes. - Borneo Company, Limited. E-Tye Hong; Kwong Wing Sun; Kwon IRIS, British 3-masted schooner, Captain Tie Sing; Quong Hee Sang; Quong Fool Thos. E. Shaw. -Siemssen & Co. LEONIDAS, British ship, Capt. W. Prehn. -Captain

PENEDO, British steamer, Captain T. Kenderdine. - Geo. R. Stevens & Co. Signal, American barque, Capt. Austin Whitney .- Jardine; Matheson & Co. SIR JOHN LAWRENCE, British ship, Capt. T. A. Best,—Messageries Maritimes. STAR OF CHINA, British barque, Captain Charles Smith, -Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

Per Nelson, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 20th inst. WILKA, American ship, Captain J. E. For STRAITS AND LONDON .-Per Ulysses, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednes-Lombard. -Order.

> SHIPPING. viously notified. FOR NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA. Per Sunda, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the

22nd inst. For KOBE AND YOROHAMA.-Per Niigata Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 22nd inst.

For AMOY .-Per Diamante, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 23rd inst. Klock, Hamburg April 2, General.—Siens-

British Contract Packet Robille will be despatched on THURSDAY,

the 21st July, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet Sughalien will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 28th July, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Government here, should imagine that Europe, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits he should serve the Chinese Govern-July 19, Robilla, British steamer, 2252, Wm. Barratt, Shanghai July 16, Mails and Settlements, Batavia, Burznah, Ceylon, India (vià Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

> MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of TURDAY, the 80th inst, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, etc.,

2.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 2 30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Letters for Union Countries may be posted on cente extra Postage until the time of inconsistency than his head; and though

cannot be sent by this routs, Hongkong, July 13, 1881,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight. - Meath leaves for Sydney and 10 a.m. - Amoy leaves for Shanghai. 4 p.m.-Nelson leaves for Port Darwin, Cooktown, &c.

Auctions. Noon. -- Auction of Persian Opium at godown of Messrs H. A. Asger & H. Esmail, and Messrs E. D. Sassoon &

Amusements. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

General Memoranda. THURSDAY, July 21 :-Noon.-Namoa leaves for Coast Ports.

FRIDAY, July 22:-

&c., at the residence of Mr W. McG. Smith, No. 3, Blue Buildings. 9 p.m.-Meeting of Victoria Lodge. ATURDAY, July 23 :-

Daylight.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for Yokohama, &c. Noon. - Diamante leaves for Amoy. Goods per Belgic undelivered after this

MONDAY, July 25 :--Vortigera leaves for Singapore & Penang. Silver Loan, of 1881.

THURSDAY, July 28 :--Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the H., C. & M. Steamboat Co., Limited,

at No. 52, Queen's Road. FRIDAY, July 29:-4 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the

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The publication of this issue commenced

at 7.45 p.m. The China Mail.

Creelman, which came into harbour to-day, proval in the strongest manner of the She left Cardiff on the 17th of April, and language used by Ilis Honour the Act- has thus made the run in 93 days. Sikh and other policemen were in attendance, but nothing happened to render their services necessary. ship by way of defence or excuse of the Sunday. The highest and lowest readings prisoners. Persons like ourselves of a at the Peak (1,823 feet) were 80 on Thurs-

ployed in Hongkong, and paid by the put in an appearance. ment; or why, if he did so, such an THE Rajanattianuhar, which arrived in the absurd and disloyal notion could pos- harbour yesterday, was put in quarantine in

crime, are questions which non-legal cholers on board. She has not yet been released. We understand there has been saveral deaths on board from this dire upon the natives in Governmental sur- disease. The C. T. Hook is also, we bear Quarantined Timenty right that the wenter Peking, will be despatched on SA. to the power that paid them, and had his precautions should be taken to guard against Lordship emphasized this point instead the importation into this Colony of this most portable, deadly disease. And public feeling should be in no way excited because disease generally believed to be either contagions or infectious, or both, is within for Union Countries may be posted on ably more to do with this apparent our doors. The quarantine is a mere form, or, if it please the reader better, we shall say

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL."]

(Per E. E. A. & C. Telegraph Co.'s Line.) LONDON, July 16. GENERAL GARFIELD GRADUALLY IMPROVING General Garfield is gradually improving.

THE IRISH LAND BILL! THE OBSTRUCTIONISTS AND THE EXIGRATION CLAUSE, LONDON, July 16. The extreme Home Rule Members in the

House of Commons are obstructing the Emigration clause of the Land Bill. HANGE WATCHING TURKEY'S MOVEMENTS. LONDON, July 16.

Turkish ironclads have arrived at Tripoli and the French squadron is watching their movements.

THE CONDITION OF THE EMPRESS OF

LONDON, July 17. The Empress of Germany is recovering. SEAX CAPTURED BY THE FRENCH SQUADRON.

A French Squadron has captured Sfax. THE PRESIDENT PROGRESSING VERY PAVOURABLY. LONDON, July 17.

London, July 17.

The President of the United States is progressing very favourably. SUNSTROKE IN THE UNITED STATES: 550

LONDON, July 17. Five hundred and fifty deaths from sunstroke are reported in the United States.

THE LAND BILL : CLAUSE 42 PASSED. LONDON, July 17. The 42nd clause of the Land Bill has been reached.

THE QUEEN REVIEWS 56,000 VOLUNTEERS, LONDON, July 17. The Queen has reviewed 56,000 Volun-

The next English Mail may be expected to arrive here on or about Wednesday, the 27th inst., by the steamer Descalion, which brings London dates to the 17th June.

Nagasaki on the 12th. THE delivery of the American Mail was

H.M.S. Iron Duke had left Woosung for

WE are informed by the Agents (Messrs Butterfield & Swire) that the S. S. Aga. memnon, from London; left Singapore yesterday forenoon for this port.

WE omitted to mention yesterday that the Rev. John Colville, of Union Church, reed the Scripture lesson at the morning service on Sunday last from the revised edition of the New Testament.

Arabians stumbled this afternoon on his way to the stables, and broke one of his legs and a rib or two; it is feared the animal will have to be sacrificed. THE American ship North American, Capt.

In the list of dead-letters lying at the Post Office, forty in number (six of them posted at Shanghai), we note one, registered, addressed to the notorious swindler known as the "Rodanow Manufacturing Company. Boston, Mass." The sender will, no doubt,

sibly furnish any excuse for an actual consequence of there being some cases of Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies than circumstances, the view taken of a wise precaution; and no one can gradge. the prisoners guilt in this case must be the little inconvenience it puts hun to in the interests of the public good.

SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON;

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ON THURSDAY, the 28th day of July, 1881, at Noon, the Company's S. S. SAGHALIEN, Commandant ROLLAND, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until
Noon of 27th.

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TO-MORROW. the 20th Instant, at Noon, at the Godown of Mouses H. A. Asgen & H. Esmail,

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Ex Steamship "China" TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots

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several sails. Have been 9 days North of Fire Insurance will be effected. lat. 15° N. with light airs and calms, from

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Agents. Hongkong, July 19, 1881.

Not Responsible for Debts. Jether the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or

CITADEL, Brit. 3-masted schooner, Capt. A. L. Stewart. - Remedios & Co.

Louisa, Germ. 3-masted schooner, Capt. N. Schierloh.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. MELUSINE, German barque, Captain Th. Pflieger.-Melchers & Co. NORTH AMERICAN, American ship, Capt. B. C. Creelman. -Russell & Co.

THORNHILL, British steamer, Capt. Thos. Walker, -D. Musso & Co.

ARRIVALS. July 18, Charles Townsend Hook, British steamer, 902, W. H. Bradley, Bangkok July 11, Rice and General.-KIN TYE LOONG. July 18, Marlborough, British steamer, 1175, R. Sanderson, Singapore July 12,

General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. July 18, Iris, British 3-m. schooner, 206, Thos. E. Shaw, Fremantle June 18, and Singapore July 10, Sandalwood. - SIEMSSEN July 18, Flora, German barque, 970, W.

July 19, North American, American ship, 1584, B. C. Creelman, Cardiff April 17. Coal.—ARNHOLD, KARBERO & Co. July 19, Amoy, British steamer, from July 19, Peng-chou-hai, Chinese gunboat,

July 19, An-lan, Chinese gunboat, from July 19. Niigata Maru, Japanese steamer, 1096, John Wynn, Yokohama July 9, and Kobe 12, General. -M. B. M. S. S. Co. July 19, City of Peking, American steamer, 5079, Berry, San Francisco June 23, p.m., and Yokohama July 13, 5 a.m., Mails, General and Treasure (\$50,998.50).-P. M.

July 19, Ulysses, British steamer, 1560, Thompson, Shanghai via Foochow July 17, General -- Butterfield & Swift. July 19, Conquest, British steamer, 318, T. Hamlin, Haiphong July 17, General.— SHUN HANG HONG. July 19, Octava, German steamer, 936,

H. Hansen, Saigon July 15, Pice. - EDUARD

DEPARTURES.

General.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

SCHELLHASS & Co.

19, Esmeralda, for Manila. CLEARED. Amoy, for Bhanghal.

July 19, Foodow, for Bangkok.

19, Erast, for Newchwang.

19, Waverley, for Canton.

19, Hermes, for Swatow.

PASSENGERS.

Per City of Peking, from San Francisco, &c., Dr J. Stewart, and 100 Chinese (Steer-Per Robilla, from Shanghai : for Hong kong, Dr G. O. Rogers and 2 servants, M. J. Presse, Mr C. Gallthier and servant, a Chinese Lady, and 12 Chinese (deck); for Singapore, Mesars T. F. Ballanco, and W. G. Gordon; for Southampton, Messrs G. Lethbridge, and A. Cheyne and servant,

Per Conquest, from Haiphong, 1 European (deck), and 25 Chinese. Per Marlborough, from Singapore, 510 Per Niigata Maru, from Kobe, &c., 1 Cabin, and 4 Steerage.

Per Octava, from Saigon, 82 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Esmeralda, for Manila, 6 Europeans, and 80 Chinese.

To DEPART. Per Meath, for Sydney, Capt. Cummins, and Misses Cummins (2). Per Amoy, for Shanghai, 50 Chinese. Per Yöttung, for Haiphong, 20 Chinese. Per Olympia, for Chefoo, 12 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The German steamer Octava reports:

Light S.W. and S.E. winds, squals and The British steamer Conquest reports Left Haiphong at 5 a.m. July 17th. Passed Hoihow on 18th at 7 a.m. First part of passage variable winds and squalls; latter part southerly winds and squally weather. In Hoihow: H. M. S. Magpie, and str. Kang-chi. Passed str. Hainan off Hainan Head, and str. Vorwaerts off North Bank. The American ship North American reports: Left Cardiff April 17th. Crossed the Equator May 8th. Crossed the Meridian of Greenwich May 30th. Passed the Cape of Good Hope June 7th. Passed St. Paul's June 19th. Passed Anjer July 2nd. Had very hard squalls in the southern part of the China Sca. Lost top sail yard, and

the southward most of the time. The Japanese steamer Niigata Maru reports: Left Kobe July 12th; light variable winds and fine weather; passed Zahana Misaki at 3 p.m. From July 13th to 15th light S.E. wind and fine weather, when in lat. 26°44 N., long. 122°33 E., wind E.S.E. increased to a heavy gale with rain and high irregular sea, hove-to for 18 hours.
July 16th at daylight, wind and sea moderated, steered course again; thence to port light S: W. monsoon and fine weather. Anchored inside Lyemoon Pass at 9.30 p.m. Passage 6 days and 171 hours.

The American steamer City of Peking reports: Left San Francisco June 23rd at 2 p.m.; arrived at Yokohama July 11th at jy26 | 3 a.m.; left Yokohama July 13th at 5 a.m.; fresh S.W. winds with fair weather throughout. Consignees :- Russell & Co.; China Sugar Refinery; Carlowitz & Co.; F. Blackhead : Miss B. Emerson ; Pustau & Co.; E. K. Ray; MacEwen, Frickel & Co.; W. T. Brooks; Tong Sang Wo; Quong Yee Fung; Wing Chong Kut & Co.; Kwong Lun Tai; Quong Man Chong & Co.; Quong Ying Chong; Tsue Chong Lung & Co.; Choy Chong Lung & Co.; Wing Sang Chong Tung Tuck; Tick Lee & Co.; Tung Wah Hospital; Quong Tai Yuen & Co.; Quong Tuck Wing; Kwang Lun Sing; Fook Sing Lung; Hip Lung & Co.; Kwong Tye Chong; Ong Woo; Wing Sing & Co.; Kwong Wan Yuen ; Quan Yee Gee ; Tsuc Song Wo & Co.; Quong Chong Sing; Kwong Yuen Chong; Wo Chong Fat; Lee Chong Lung; See Shing Wo: Fook Sang Wo; Lung Chong; Quong Woo; Sam Yick; Yick Lung; Yet Goon; Quan Hing Loong

> Wo ; Kwong Yee Chong ; Wing Sun Chong ; Hop Tye Wo; Kwong Hop Lung; Lee Ken POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-

For SHANGHAL .-Per Amoy, at 9.30 a.m. To-morrow, the For SYDNEY MELBOURNE, &c.-Per Meath, at 11.30 a.m. To-morrow the 20th inst, instead of as previously notified. For SOURABAYA, PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE; BRIS.

day, the 20th inst. For BANGKOK .-Per Consolution, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 20th inst., instead of as pre-

MATLS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-

Australian Colonies.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

which will be closed as follows :--

5 p.m. - Ulysses leaves for London. Co.'s godowns.

4 p.m.-English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Goods per Djemnah undelivered after Noon, subject to rent and landing 2 p.m .- Auction of Household Furniture,

date subject to rent.

Noon.-Tenders for Chinese Imperial 3 p.m.-Auction of Seven Chinese Shops, and Dwelling Houses, Queen's Road

H. K. Hotel Co., Ld., at Hongkong No. G.-Vol. XX.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. 香港大樂房

TO MORROW.

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, NURSERY REQUI-SITES, TOILET REQUISITES, ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND FRENCH PATENT MEDICINES. MANUFACTURERS

The Manufactory is under direct am continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JULY 19, 1881. WE cannot help expressing our ing Chief Justice during the trial yesterday of the two Chinamen charged with an opium robbery at Cape Collinson. Curiously enough the complications made possible by the unwelcome pre-BANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, sence of the Chinese revenue cruisers in our waters have butseldom cropped up our law Courts, but when they have come before the Bench, it is a fact which ought to gratify the mercantile community that the Bench has invariably spoken on the subject with a clear and certain sound. Mr Snowden's language was most explicit, and entirely satisfactory as regards the international discourt sy which has for several year been forced upon this Colony. He said that our Government did not ossist any other in enforcing its fiscal laws. People had a perfect, right to carry about smuggled opium in the Colony with the atmost freedom, and the fact this launch coming into these waters was a breach of international law, which ought to be put a stop to. We cannot say so much for the remarks of his Lordnon-legal turn of mind had supposed that day, and 74 on Sunday and Monday. the fact, that the two Chinamen charged the actual employ of the Hongkong WE would remind our readers of the enterfor forwarding Correspondence to Mau- Government considerably increased the tainment to be given to-morrow night at guilt, if any, attachable to them; but we the Theatre Royal, City Hall, by the Mattie N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the now find that his Lordship excuses the Taylor Troupe. This is positively the last somewhat für-fetched supposition that entertainment the Company will give here, they might have thought that they and all who have not yet seen "Little ought to have helped the Chinese Go- Mattie" should, with all those who enjoy vernment. Now, why a Chinaman em- a clever, varied and amusing entertainment,

folks are totally unable to answer. We

think that his Lordship missed a most

ploy in this Colony the duty they owed

of the other, he would thereby have

strengthened the position he took up in

regard to the international discourtesy

of the Chinese Government. We are

niraid Mr Snowden's heart had consider-

y30 regarded as the correct one.

teers at Windsor. LOCAL AND GENERAL.

begun at 10.45 this morning.

ONE of Mr E, R. Belilios' pair of black

has made a remarkably fine passage out. Ar the Magistracy to-day every precaution was taken to ensure a hospitable reception to the rice-pounders had they put their threat into execution. A large number of

be glad to get back his dollars. THE maximum reading of the theromometer at the Harbour Office during the week ending Friday, July 8, was 92, which was attained on four different days, Saturday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; and the minimum was 79, which was recorded on

Hongkong, June 20, 1881.

Russian CAVIARE.

,, - Assorted Canned VEGETABLES. Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage

Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS.

ALIFORNIA*

Cracked WHEAT.

from 15 cents to 25 cents each. HERBERT SPENCER'S COMPLETE WORKS

GELATINE.

MEATS.

to-day, seems to have experienced the full these words mean, goes right back to the fortunately we did not suffer. She had to files of the China Mail until we come stress of weather.

THE most important news by the City of eking, which arrived from San Francisco to day, is that relating to Ireland, which we summarise as well as we can, in another column. We may give a few of the general and political telegrams from elsewhere to-

WE are sorry to have to record the breakdown of the P. & O. steamer Pekin, with the upward English mail. The mails have of late been brought out with great rapidity and steadiness, and this is the first accident which has occurred for a considerable period. The Postmaster General sends us the following :-

"Information has been received that the contract packet Pekin, with the next Eng- relief of the distress existing in certain lish mail for Hongkong, has been towed parts of the country, and it would leave per Deucation at daylight to-morrow (Wednesday), 20th.

We have also received the following from the P. & O. Company :-

"Our Agent at Singapore wires. 'Pekin gers treasure per Descalion; 5 a.m. to-

A RATHER serious assault was committed on Mr Tonnochy, Superintendent of Victoria Gaol, yesterday afternoon. Mr Tonnochy. along with Mr Gerrard, one of the Visiting Justices, was going the round of the prison, and on coming to a cell, where a prisoner was in solitary confinement for some breach of the prison rules, the inmate said he wished to speak to the Gaol Superintendent. Mr Tonnochy stepped close to the convict. (who was double-ironed) to hear what he had to say, when, without the slightest warning, the follow with his left hand knocked off Mr Tonnochy's hat, and with a crank handle, which he held in his S.W. winds and cloudy weather with rain right, struck Mr Tonnochy a heavy blow which was apparently meant for the Superintendent's head, and took effect on the forehead and under the eye, inflicting a pretty severe wound. Mr Tonnochy at once closed with him, assistance was soon rendered by the guards in attendance, and the ruffian secured. He had been engaged in crank exercise, and had by some means got the handle detached from the other part. _To make this heavier he had passed a piece of chain through the hollow of the handle, and so manufactured quite a murderous weapon. Prisoner, who is in for seven years, is a notoriously bad character, and has indulged in numerous threats against the lives of the gaol officers.

letter from Macao we published last night, oppose the Old Farmer, and the Farm was accordingly knocked down to him for \$640,000, the highest figure reached in the bidding on Saturday last. The purchaser in name of himself and his friends immediately made a deposit of \$100,000 in Banknotes. Every partner who was concerned in the sale had brought with him the requisite sum of \$100,000, so that no delay might occur and no miscarriage of the bargain take-place. This would seem to prove four separate and distinct propositions presented to the Government to take over the Farm at the price at which it was originally, knocked down,—namely \$1,015,000. would almost seem that there was almost an intention to deceive the Government and to throw those who are already sufficiently troubled and 'under a cloud' further on their beams ends. There is an the men with \$15 each. Japan Daily engers, and 5 cents for third class passen- instead of continuing in acts of this kind, old story about there always being wheels within wheels in a case like this. We may find out, when the matter is thoroughly sifted to the bottom, whether this is so in the present case or not. The process instituted against Pitman, will, it is said here, be brought before the Supreme Court in your Colony as soon as the formalities of the Law will allow." [It will be observed from our usual notice of Supreme Court business for to-morrow, that Graça v. Pit man is down for hearing. We understand that Mr T. C. Hayllar, Q.C., appears for the plaintiff, and Mr J. J. Francis for the defendant.-ED. C. M.1

One correspondent writes, in an "excusehaste" style :- "Wei Sing knocked down to the Old Farmers for 8640,000; all competitors were brought off; it is said the sum thus spent was considerable."

ONE of the very funniest things we have read for some time is the following; it is s paragraph from a telegram dated June 12. to the New York - World from its London correspondent dealing with the Irish troubles. After remarking on a discovery that had been made that a number of very loudmouthed League orators have been trying to get beight of with Government offices and observing that Mr O'Connor Power had a day or two previously to his writing ex-Par a blatant Ballinrobe lawyer named Daly, who was willing to keep silent about the wrongs of his country for the Crown Prosecutorship of Mayo, and anticipating that some rich developments of the same improving rapidly. On the other hand, we sort would shortly be given to the House by read in a Cleveland telegram of the same Litton, Liberal member for the County the London writer has the following remarkable sentence :---

Paraell's followers take Pops Hennessey an east-bound train on the New York, Penn and William Keeph for their model as Irish sylvania and Chio Bailway, when about patriols twelve miles from here, struck a buggy in London, and we have therefore put them the peace for six weeks; in default to be many of the popular local leaders, had been principle of compensation to landlords: If a sarriving at 6 a.m.; the London Costle committed.

force of the typhoen with which we were Hongkong subscription to the Irish Famine threatened the other day, but from which Fund? Why do our fingers run through the lie to for 18 hours on her run down through. the issue of March 6th, 1880. And what do we find there concerning Sir John Pope | Francisco papers to hand to-day we find the Hennessy and the pestiferous Parnell? following item :--

> preliminary meeting of gentlemen interested in the question of the Relief of their navy a marine corps similar to our the Distress in Ireland was held this after- own, First Lieutenant D. Pratt Manning. noon (6th March, 1880) at Government of the Marine Corps, has been selected, and House, convened by His Excellency to is granted permission to enter the service of consider what means should be taken with the Chinese Government for that purpose.

a view to raising a Hongkong Fund. H. E. the Governor referred at some length to the recent correspondence that had appeared in the papers as having passed between the Duke of Marlborough as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and the Lord Mayor of Dublin. His Grace had declined dining at the Mansion House on the 3rd ultimo. as it would not be in his power to ignore certain resolutions which had been passed at a public meeting held in the City Chambers, in relation to the opposition in the West of Ireland to the enforcement of the Law and to the measures which Her Majesty's Government had taken for the upon them while accepting the hospitality of the Rt. Hon. gentleman. The Lord Mayor had presided at the meeting in question and thereby, His Grace considered, stamped them with his official sanction. As Governor of the Colony, he (Mr Hennessy) explained, he could nothing whatever to do with any subscription which was to be sent to the Kund of the Lord Mayor of Dublin. There was no security for the proper bestowal of it in the relief of the necessitous. How could people be expected

that stamp. And after these terse and apparently nonest utterances of the gubernatorial soul it was, we read, agreed that the money should be all forwarded to the Duchess of Marlborough Fund.

of this money going to Mr Parnell or men o

What can the World's correspondent

THE British steamer Robilla, arrived to-day from Shanghai, reports as follows :-

Left Woosung on Saturday, July 16th at 2 p.m.; experienced fresh S.S.W. winds to the Hieshans: thence to port moderate at times. On the night of the 15th inst. while at anchor at Woosung, experienced typhoon, commencing with the wind at East and veoring round, and ending with the wind at South. The lowest reading by corrected barometer was 29.18, wind then

WE (Japan Gazette) took occasion last month to comment on the passage made arrived here June 10th after a passage of hours, and we have now much pleasure in side of the Murray Barracks, and now used this morning in .16 days 19 hours and 14 | Court and Kennedy's livery stables, thence minutes, making the best outward voyage up the hill-side to the Victoria Gap crossing voyages has long interfered with the mail means of bridges, and terminating at the and passenger traffic by this route; steamers | Victoria Gap at a point on the North side with immense carrying capacity and small of Farm Lot No. 23." THE Macao Wei Sing Monopoly flasco has cargoes have little inducement to make In section 9, power to widen certain don in thirty-four, days may be depended London June 5th per City of Peking.

were presented, the captain with \$30, and

By telegrams of two different dates, received

yesterday through Reuter's Agency, we hear of General Garfield's continued progress towards complete recovery. This is news which will be welcome all over the world and amonest all races and nationali ties. As a Japan contemporary very well puts the case, " to people who govern themselves, as do the Americans and English, the murder-of a despotic sovereign, however much the crime is deplored and the assassins donounced, is another entry of blood in the gory list of victims of personal misgovernment and its antagonistic anarchy. But when the assassin's hand is raised against the faithful servant of the people whose office ought to be an inviolable protection, another feeling, far purer, more earnest, and infinitely more resolute. springs up in the breasts of men. An attempt upon the life of the President of the United States, or upon the Queen of England, is equivalent to an outrage upon the people, and seems to place the perpetrator beyond the pale of mercy." By the papers to hand to-day we have no hint of any such flerce disappointment as to the appointments made by the new President as would have brought about the madness from which the would-be assessin must have suffered at the time of his crime. We note with pleasure that a Long Branch telegram dated June 22nd states that Mrs Garfield, whose serious illness we referred to the other day, is date, of the accidental death of a near relation of the President :-

Shortly after three o'clock this afternoon.

The Chinese Government having requested the services of an officer to organize for

H.M. 's despatch-vessel Vigilant, Commander Chas. Lindsay, bearing the flag of Vice-Admiral Willes, arrived at Yokohama on the 2nd instant, from Kobe. Mr Kennedy H.M.'s Charge d'Affaires, arrived in the Vigilant. Mrs Kennedy and family were expected to arrive on the 4th instant, in the Niigata Maru:

Law Notice. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

(Before the Full Court.) In ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. - Wednesday, 9th July, 11 a.m. - Suit No. 26, -J. J. d Graca v. Pitman .- Motion for a rule to show cause why the plaintiff's petition should not be dismissed.

Suit 15 .- Wong Tsuk Lam v. Cho Lai long and anor.—Motion for a rule to show cause why the verdict should not be set aside and a new trial granted.

-THE NEW TRAMWAYS BILL. The Bill to be introduced into the

to subscribe if there were a possibility of some Legislative Council, by which it is sought to authorize the construction of certain tramways within this Colony, is published in Saturday's Gazette in a form somewhat altered from that in which it appeared in The summary of its provisions which was given in our columns on the 4th inst. holds good, however, save in the points which we note below. A notice is prefixed to the Bill inviting all persons possessing property which they consider may be affected by the provisions of the proposed ordinance to send in to Mesers Brereton and Wotton, solicitors. full particulars in writing of such property and of the injury or prejudice, if any, which they believe may accrue thereto from the construction of the transways proposed by said Bill. In clause 5, which specifies the promoters, authority is added for these promoters purchasing or taking lands for their undertaking in manner provided by the ordinance or any Act or Acts of Parliament incorporated herewith. In clause 7, which sets forth the tramways to be authorised by

by the P.M.S.S. City of Tokio which vessel | the ordinance, tramway No. 5 is added :-"A partly single and partly double line, 17 days 7 hours and 33 minutes, the fastest seven furlongs, six chains in length, comrun from San Francisco with one exception. mencing at the North Corner of the piece the voyage of the Oceanic in 17 days 4 of ground in Garden Road on the South announcing that the same company's vessel as a Military Gymnasium, thence passing in City of Peking, Captain Berry, arrived here a Southerly direction between the Racquet yet recorded. The uncertainty of outward over the Kennedy and Plantation Roads by

"and occasionally twenty and even bridges, &c., words are added giving the pro- taken place, and there had been no distur- would not shorten England's strong right twenty-four days across are consumed. The moters power, as regards the trainway No. | bance on that day. Witness had no reason arm one span. A strong feeling of irritaexample set by the P.M.S.S. Co. will no 5, to alter the levels of the ground on which to apprehend any further disturbance; the tion is growing everywhere, and any day an anticipated. "No one was found to further doubt become general, and the passage that said tramway is laid, to make and con- rice-pounders had resumed work. from New York in twenty-four, and Lon- struct all necessary cuttings and embankments, bridges, viaducts, culverts, catch evidence required in the case. Prisoners these outrages, combined with the anarchy on. We are in receipt of papers dated water drains and other works, and to divert in the dock, you are brought before me existing in many parts of Ireland, render it THE City of Peking, which last left Yoko- that No. 5 shall be constructed on a gauge found weapons of the most deadly descrip- nellites hope to gain by thwarting him hama on May 27th for San Francisco, took of 3 feet in width and with steel rails, which tion. It is only owing to the promptitude, passes comprehension. The Tory leaders into the latter port nine Japanese sailors, shall before being laid down be approved of the discretion, and the tact which has been make no scoret of the course they would rescued from a dismantled craft 300 miles by the road authority. Sect. 16 provides a shown throughout this case by the police adopt if called to power. The League penalty for not maintaining the rails and that a serious disturbance did not take would be suppressed as an illegal organizaland. The name of the vessel was the Yeisko road in good condition. Sect. 23 deals place. I am aware that this is a method of tion, public meetings would be prohibited. Maru, of 86 tons register. They had been with the motive power of tramway No. 5, settling disputes amongst the Chinese, and Leinster, Connaught and Munster at buffeted about at the mercy of the waves for and provides that "the carriages used on It does not bring with it any particular once placed under Martial Law. Mr six months, living upon their cargo of beans | the Tramway No. 5 may, subject to the moral stigma amongst yourselves, but Gladstone has staked the existence of the and seawced, and catching rainwater in the provisions of this Ordinance, be moved by at the same time you must remember that Ministry upon the success of his Irish policy, sails, or when there was no rain they lived means of a stationary steam engine, or you are living now, not in China but under and is doing all that indomitable energy that there was little or no bond ficles in the by moistening their lips with the falling stationary steam engines, and steel-wire the British flag, and as long as you choose can do to push the Land Bill through the dew. One of the crew, an old man succum- rope or ropes. Every carriage used on the to live under that flag and enjoy its privi- House, but the mad course of the Parnelbed to the exposure and was consigned to said Trainway No. 5 shall be so constructed leges you must be bound by the laws of lites is terribly disheartening to him. the deep. When rescued the poor men as to provide for the safety of passengers, the country which that flag represents. The Reasonable Home-rulers, like Shaw of Cork. expressed their gratitude in a practical and for their safe entrance to, and exit greater part of you are rice-pounders, en: Mitchell Henry of Galway, O'Connor Power manner by working with the Peking's crew from, and accommodation in such carriage, gaged in earning an honeat livelihood, and of Mayo, and McCoan of Wickland, who with hearty good will. The passengers got and their protection from the machinery I should be very sorry, if it is possible to have done and dared more for Ireland in up a concert for their benefit and netted used for drawing or propelling such car- prevent it, to treat you as criminals of the the way of personal sacrifice than all the riage." By section 36 the maximum fares ordinary kind. The Chinese as a commuthe Poking brought the men back to this for the tramways No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 are as nity have obtained for themselves a reputative with the Bill, which is a good test of its port, and on landing this morning they in the original Bill 20 cents for first class | tion for good order and as a peace-keeping | fairness, or rather of the desire to be just passengers, 15 cents for second class pass- and orderly population, and I hope that, and fair which actuates its introduction class. All the other sections of the Bill as now published are substantially the same as those in the Bill as it previously appeared

> THE TEA RACE. A correspondent sends us (N.-C. Daily

News) the following memorandum of the passages of the three first steamers in this year's tea race from Hankow to London :--

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The Hankow, Woosung and Singapore times not seriously hurt. are reliable, but the London dates cannot

THE Mitsit Bishi steamer, which arrived being satisfied that it quite grasps what 80, an uncle of President Carfield, and Mrs | was wired as arrived at 2. p.m. It must be Alonzo Arnold, the sister of Dr. Boynton, borne in mind that the steamers gain eight a cousin of the President. Thomas Garfield hours on this Homeward trip—this has to was instantly killed, and Mrs Arnold's skull be added to the above totals to find the was so badly fractured that her life is de- actual time occupied. It will be most inspaired of. The buggy was dragged 200 feet. teresting to compare the steaming time. On receipt of the particulars from Home In "Capital Notes" in one of the latest San | we hope to lay the exact dates before our readers in the same form as last year.

CORRESPONDENCE.

. MUNICIPAL COUNCILS. To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."

Hongkong, July 18. SIR, -I have read with much interest your article treating of this subject. think you have weighed the difficulties and the advantages fairly, and the balance falls on the side of advantage. Hongkong, of course, is so peculiarly situated that its circumstantes require measures peculiar to itself. In truth, I believe its situation without parallel amongst Crown Colonies. As at present constituted, the Legislative Council is synonymous with the word Governor: that is, if the Governor so wills it. Popular representation there is none. The Governor in nearly all matters may do pretty much as he pleases. Now, this is not as it should be. Good Governor or had Governor, it is in these days a mere matter of ordinary right that a community with large vested interests should be represented by men of its own choosing, and have a voice in the management of its own affairs. Although the establishment of a Municipal Council here might be attended with almost insuperable difficulties, yet (this as a compromise) were the unofficial members of the Legislative Council elected by popular vote and their number increased, it would strip the Governor of the power to command the vote of the majority of the Council at his 12th of July, in order that the parties might Pall Mall Gazette takes, the Times to task the Land Bill as insufficient, he thinks it give more force to the words of such un- the expense of a new trial, was again before as the outrages in this country are con- Irish policy would be the bayonet and ball the community, gentlemen in the position that there had been a mis-trial, and that the dragooning in Ireland. Surely the ex- who is a shrewd judge of public opinion, of unofficial members would be able to speak plaintiff must be non-suited. An order perience of Russia should not be forgotten has taken this cue from the Irish hierarchy as representatives, and not, as at present, was given for a new trial. merely as individuals. This might also tend to throw upon the Governor a more imme- Messrs Sharp Toller & Johnson, appeared malady, which finds vent in assassination stone's good intentions. This interference diate responsibility, and deter him from for the plaintiff; and Mr Hayllar, in- by dynamite. There is no reason for re- and the prospect of abundant crops in Iredoing many things which might run counter structed by Messrs Brereton & Wotton, for fraining from enforcing the law or for land, combined with the indemnities of the the official paper on the 2nd and 9th instant. to the opinions of the community. The the defendant. only drag at present upon the Governor of this Colony is the slow and ineffective one of the Colonial Office. Incalculable mischief may be done before the ponderous and slow-moving wheels of red-tapeism can be set in motion, more especially where the motive power is the solitary and unaided weight of an unofficial member. Had the system I speak of been in operation here, a very different tale might have been now told anent the City Hall Museum, which is a most flagrant attempt to infringe the blowing up of the Liverpool Town Hall liberty of the subject by an attempt to bribe him into surrendering his rights; and I, with many others, rejoice heartily that the Committee have shown such an independent and

VOX POPULI.

Police Intelligence. H. E. Wodehouse, Esq.; Police Magistrate). Tuesday, July 19.

manly spirit. I am confident the institu-

tion will in nowise be injured by their

The sixty-six Chinamen concerned in this affair were again before the Court to-day. remanded in order to allow the day on curring there is no possible excuse. which the fight was to take place to pass, wrecking of the Liverpool Town Hall, or The day fixed was the 17th, no fight had for that matter of the British Museum,

streams. While the gauge of tramways 1, 2, charged with conspiring to commit a breach. more and more difficult for Mr. Gladstone 3, and 4 is 3 feet 6 inches, sec. 15 provides of the peace, and in your possession were to carry the Land Bill. What the Pargers. For No. 5 tramway 20 cents for first you will try to sustain that reputation. Beclass passengers, and 10 cents for second fore I pass sentence I should like to hear reaching the Upper House this season. The what any of you has to say.

Mr. Wodehouse : As these cases do put a stop to the proceedings of the clerical Colony, I do not feel inclined to political horizon. Archbishop Croke, who visit you with heavy punishment, but I was a rampant Leaguer a week ago, has hope you well bear in mind that any time a taken the hint, and in his speech this week similar case takes place, you are bound to at Thurlos and Cashel, veered round sevecome off the worse for it. The police are a ral points, and urged Parnell to accept the strong body here, and quite able to put Land bill, and frowned down resistance to down any disturbance of the kind, and any the law. one who attempts the like is engaged in a mad adventure which must bring him into published a formidable list of the principal trouble. What the particular quarrel you outrages and disturbances in Freland have is I do not know nor care. If you reported in the newspapers during the have any complaint against anybody you week. The catalogue includes the rioting have the regular tribunals before which you at Limerick on the 4th instant; the disturbcan complain. That is the proper way in sances at Skull in defence of Father Murwhich to obtain redress. You have now phy on the 10th; the rioting at Ballydehob expressed yourselves sorry for what you and Skibbereen on the 7th; the attempt to each to keep the peace for six weeks.

remanded to the 26th inst.

for six weeks.

ant a black eye.

Defendant admitted the charge. Mary Collins, matron of the Gaol, said she had examined complainant. She was

BOOVE AND VAGABOND Kwok Chat Sing was charged at the instance of a private in the 27th Inniskil-

Complainant said he saw the man prowmanner. He apprehended him. Alt Sing. He had no wish to trouble

he had been in gaol before. with hard labour.

A number of trifling cases were disposed of by fines ranging from 50 cents to a \$1.

Li Young Kwai, remanded from the 16th charged with assaulting Shan Kam, was again before the Court to-day. After some evidence had been taken complainant and defendant were each ordered to enter into personal recognisances in the sum of \$10 to keep the peace for six weeks.

Chan Aying, remanded from the 12th. charged with stealing a clock and amoking pipe, was to-day sentenced to four months' imprisonment with hard labour.

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before the Full Court.)

Tuesday, July 19.

Wo MUT YU v. THOMSEN. -This action.

CONDITION OF AFFAIRS IN IRELAND.

The papers which we had from home direct | London correspondent says :to the 10th June, and the San Francisco dates by the Belgie to the 11th idem brought us up in our history of affairs in Ireland, to the date when the attempted took place. By the telegrams in the American files to hand to-day by the City of Peking we have the comments of the English neighborhood of Timolague are greatly press, which are severe as a rule, and sensible and to the point. It is stated that such dastardly outrages as these are doing irrepa- tombs at Timolague, are among the finest Scotland. The London correspondent of rable harm to the Irish cause. While there was, it is remarked, a shadow of excuse for the Clerkenwell affair, and a great deal to be. great renown in County Cork. He was tion in political circles, especially among said in defence of Allan, Clark, and O'Brien. who killed Sergeant Brett in the prison-van rescue at Manchester; and Captain Mackey's attacks on the Martello Towers at Queenstown, and his raids on gunsmiths' shops at Cork during the 1867 troubles, were laudable enough from his point of view .-- for Inspector Perry said the case had been the powder and dynamite affairs now ocattack upon the Irish quarter in Liverpool Mr Wodehouse said: This is all the may be made. It goes without saying that

Telegraphing from Dublin on the 16th fire-eaters combined, are perfectly satisfied by the Government. The Obstructionists. however, seem determined to prevent its Speciator asks. "Is it of any use even to Prisoners expressed a wish to get back to attempt to benefit a people so irrational The news that the Pope has determined frequently in this agitation, is the only bright spot on the On June 12, some of the London papers

uppet a train full of troops and the des tering into a personal recognisance of \$10 tion of the bridges between Skibbereen and Skull on the same day; the tearing up of the rails near Skibbereen and the destroy-The four other Chinese charged with ing of telegraph wires near Ballydehob on being dangerous to the peace of the Co- the 8th; the rioting at Gork on the 9th lony,-they being the opponents of the the destruction of the telegraph lines berice-pounders were similarly sentenced, tween Skibbereen and Cork on the 10th; besides innumerable attacks on process-The Chinaman Ng Aman, who was ap- servers and minor outrages. The question prehended in the midst of a large crowd on is asked, how is England to meet these cement on Thursday of his abandonment of Friday morning whilst inciting them to riotous risings, and most of the London the opposition to the Land Bill. He spoke Hongkong Gas Co., \$82 per share, commit a breach of the peace, was further papers answer that question in the only way briefly, advising Biggar to withdraw his Hongkong Hotel Co., \$115 per share, sales. anybody can answer it, the only way in amendment, declaring that nothing should China Sugar Ref. Co., \$165 p. shere. which it will ever be answered, -We must be done to imperit the passage of this gi-Tung Achoi, remanded from the 14th, put down this fearful unlawfulness, and, if gantic measure for the benefit of Ireland. charged with being in possession of deadly needs be, fight the discontented and mur. Parnell's friends explain his complete weapons, was ordered to enter into a per- | derous miscreants with their own weapons. sonal recognisance of \$10 to keep the peace On the same day a correspondent of the Ireland, where he discovered that his sup- Hongkong Bakery, \$431 per share. N.-Y. Herald wired to his headquarters porters were perplexed and irritated by his

and Skibbereen and elsewhere of which we will assent to the second reading of the have already heard by telegram and from the Bill. The Ministers are in good spirits lings with loitering at Victoria Barracks on last American papers. The Southern part accordingly. of the country was in a most lawless state. In the same strain writes the London and had been so for months past, but the ling around the barracks in a suspicious fear was, with the example of this successful violent resistance to the law which had Defendant merely went to look for a already been set, the people might throw friend rejoicing in the proverbial name of legal authority entirely to the winds and Lord Salisbury has muttered threats against this resort to even more extreme measures. It it, but the prevailing impression is that the friend by calling him as a witness. Yes; was not for a moment suspected that this Upper House will not dore to reject it. resistance would ever lead to more than Their rejection, last year, of the Compen-And he went again for three months, rioting. The people will only attack any sation for Disturbance Bill was followed by small body of police, who were carrying out | the present measure, and if they should evictions or arresting leaders, but they throw it out they may safely count on being would disperse to their homes as soon as confronted next session with a much more any large body of military arrived and wait radical scheme. It is quite on the cards, the next favorable opportunity. If this however, for the Bill to be amended in the

> effective then an armed rebellion. The strange immunity which the tele- ment, probably, will be one in the spirit of graph wires had hitherto enjoyed was pas- the movement in the Commons by Heneage, sing rapidly away at latest advices. This the member for Great Grimsley, to exempt safe mode of destroying Government pro- the landlords, who have made their own perty and inflicting much annoyance on the improvements according to the usual English Government, the agitators had just begun system, from the operation of the clause to avail themselves of, and it was thought providing for the free sale of the tenant that much damage to wires and poles would | right by the outgoing occupier. | An amendbe heard of from the more distant parts of ment of this kind which would not material-

to America as showing in its strongest form now the Lords are not in the humor for public opinion on the situation :- The trifling with the behests of the Commons. the Irish Executive can render to the people spondent drags into its Derby telegram, is to insure that whenever the law strikes it shall strike with irresistible force." The Spectator thinks that "if the rioters were been done by the unanimity of the Ameriinvariably met by heavy volleys and can correspondents touching the American charges of cavalry, rioting would cease," | hostility towards Irish agitators." but it urges the Government not to be driven which was adjourned from Tuesday, the by the Tories to such an insanity. The read that while he continues to denounce come to some arrangement in order to save for its blood-thirstiness, and says: "So far better than nothing, and believes that the official members. Should any conflict the Court to-day. After careful considera- cerned, they are much more likely to be cartridge, and so is doing his best to put it then arise between the Governor and tion both Judges had come to the conclusion multiplied than diminished by a resort to through the Commons. The Irish leader, when violent repression is advocated as an | and the Irish tenantry, who urge the accep-The Attorney General, instructed by infallible specific for the cure of a political tance of the Bill as an earnest of Gladneglecting to punish the guilty, but it "Skirmishers." have all but killed the should at least give cause to those who are League's influence; moreover, it has been pointing to bayonets and buckshot as the shown that many of the most blatant pa-

> Although County Cork is comparatively since the New Year. A large number of quiet, large bodies of troops are being sent evictions are going on, but the Landlords to the district of which Bandon is the cen- Emergency Committee, acting no doubt at tre. The small tenants and peasantry the suggestion of the Castle, has decided gather from day to day at the farms of the not to execute the write of eviction, except "Suspects" who have been arrested under in emergent cases, where the tenant, althe Coercion Act, to cut the hay and dig | though perfectly able, refuses to pay rent the root crops, and a collision between these | and defies ejectment. mobs and the local Constabulary may take place at any time. The peasantry in the excited over the old prophecy of St. Molsgo, establishment of a Grand Imperial Parliafrom whom the town is named, Timolague. ment, including the representatives from The house of Molago Abboy, the ruins and Australia, the Cape, Canada, Ireland and in Munster. There, according to the tradi- that journal telegraphs, June 20th, that tion, St. Molago lived. He was a saint of the article had attracted much attenborn near Fermaugh. Timolague, near the Irish members of all shades of Mitchelstown, on the Countess of Kingsland opinion; for on this peint the majority estates, takes its name from a church he of Irishmen are agreed. founded there on the banks of the river correspondent telegraphs to his paper the Funcheon. Tobermolaga is his well, and views of certain public men in Ireland some Lobbamolaga his bed, or grave. His pro- of whom are in favour of the plan proposed phecy on agrarian agitation, which has been by the Herald, others against it. unearthed by some Land Leaguer from the mass of local folklore, is said to have been uttered in 660, when Corcagh (Cork) was, hands of Sexton. At the Land League as its name implies, a marsh, and when old | meeting on that date he made a strong McCarthy ruled. I send you the current appeal to America for funds, and stated translation, to show you how the agitation has become part and parcel of the superstitions of the peasantry: "In eighteen eighty-one, the stranger is

In Corcagh shall be seen, the red beneath Eighteen eighty-three McCarthy's sons are

The green above the red, the lions litters

This prophecy has been printed and scattered far and wide through Munster, and copies of it have been sent to the Irish members of Parliament and exhibited in the lobbies of the House. Mr William Shaw, member for the County Cork, says the Leaguers in Timolague and Bandon Districts are using this and other floating legends as campaign documents, and that by this means they have persuaded hundreds of peasants that armed resistance to the law will surely end in extirpation of landlordism and the downfall of English rule in Ireland.

June, the Heruld's correspondent says the arrest of Thomas Cunningham in Loughrea. County Galway, attracted considerable attention. He had acted for some time as a local newspaper correspondent, and many of the alarming outrages and threatening notices were solely due to his inventive genius. The exploit which brought him into trouble was a telegram stating that an attempt had been made to assussinate the "Hon. Mr Daley, Lord Dunsandles' son," The charge against him is inciting to murder. Two other men, one of whom was the Secretary of the Local League Branch, were arrested simultaneously under a like charge. There seems to have been a good deal of exaggeration in not a few of these telegraph reports. It is said that nearly all of the so-called "special correspondents" of the English newspapers were not really persons in any way entitled to the honourable designation of journalists, but were, as a rule, outside penny-a-liners whose only chance of getting their telegrams accepted was to make them spicy (maskes their truthfulness) and so deceive the editors into inserting them, and as a natural result (not otherwise obtainable) paying for them.

letter of the London special of the New York Tribune has the following passage pregnant with meaning, and manifestly written by one who does not go through the world with his eyes and his ears closed to all sights and sounds around him :-The most important political incident

reported; namely, Parnell's virtual announchange of policy to his Whitsummer visit to H.K. Ice Co.'s shares, \$1271 per share. Antonio Jose, Gun Lascar, of Madras, was charged with assaulting Boza Maria Jose, his wife.

The assault had arisen out of a domestic quarrel and defendant had given complain.

Act would be a dritical one for the peace of the Mill, the political situes of the League agreeing that it policy of opposition. This produces a great defendant had given complain.

Antonio Jose, Gun Lascar, of Madras, that he had just returned from a visit to opposition, and that the peace of the Bill, the political opposition, and the peace of the Bill, the political opposition, and the peace of the Bill, the political opposition opposition opposition. This produces a gr and presperity of that part of the coun- ation, and dispenses for the present with try. Landlords everywhere were forcing the necessity for new measures to facilitate executions and evictions in order to get the the progress of the Bill through the House. arrears of rent, which was expected they It reassures the Government, and relieves would be deprived of by one of the most the strain on Parliament. It is now confi-Defendant was fined \$2, or seven days important of Parnell's amendments; it was dently expected that the Bill will reach the

the sole cause of the violent scenes at Skull so, it is expected that the House of Lords

special of the N.-Y. World June 19th. He

It is now certain that the Land bill will reach the House of Lords early in July. plan were universally carried out, it Lords, although in all probability no attempt was believed that it would be more will be made to tamper with its leading principles. The most important amendly affect the scope of the Bill, is almost sura These opinions of the press are telegraphed to be carried in the Upper House, but just The New York Tribune's London correa statement which we can quite believe and appreciate. - "That considerable service has

As the Parnell's change of front, we only method for the pacification of Ireland." triots are local agents. Inspector-General Telegraphing on June 15, the World's Hillier, of the Constabulary, reports that the country is quieter than it has been

The New York Herald had had apparently an editorial article on the necessity of legislative independence for Ireland and the The arrest of Cox (Dublin June 21st) leaves the Land League exclusively in the

that it was a critical time with the League. Three men were, the same day, sentenced to five years' penal servitude for riot and assaulting the police. The same day an approach to really good news comes on the information that quietness prevails throughout the country, the farmers having harvested the biggest hay crop known for fifty years. and the root crops promising to be unprecedentedly abundant. Later the same day the wires carry the intelligence over the Atlantic that there is a great falling off in thenumber of outrages. The landlords have resolved not to execute the write of ejectment, except in cases where the tenant absolutely denies the right of the landlord to collect rent. Many landlords who fled here during the Boycotting period are returning home, and there are signs on every hand that the agitation has nearly burnt itself out. The latest telegram amongst those brought on by the present mail contains the significant sentence that "the Land League appears to be in the hour of death" which we sincerely hope is true to the letter.

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The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. " It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and alone worth the price of the Leviein. Ad-

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